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AMENDMENT A AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

This amendment for the patent application identified above is in response to the Office Action dated August 23, 2004, which set a shortened statutory period for response that expires on November 23, 2004.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

Kindly amend this application as indicated herein.

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